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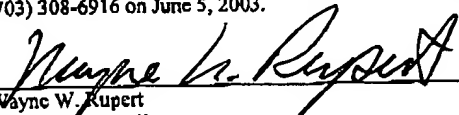
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I hereby certify that this correspondence and any documents referred to as being transmitted herewith are being facsimile transmitted to Ms. Karen Creasey, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Office of Petitions, to facsimile telephone number (703) 308-6916 on June 5, 2003.


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**PETITION TO WITHDRAW APPLICATION FROM ISSUANCE
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.313(c)(2)**

Applicant hereby petitions for withdrawal of the present application pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.313(c)(2) in order to consider a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) for submitting an Information Disclosure Statement (IDS). Attached herewith are an RCE and an IDS (including copies of the cited documents). Also attached herewith is a Transmittal Letter authorizing a charge to Deposit Account No. 02-4550 for a total amount of \$880.00, which includes \$750.00 for the RCE filing fee (37 C.F.R. §1.17(e)) and \$130.00 for the Petition fee (37 C.F.R. §1.17(h)).

During a May 23, 2003, telephone conference between Karen Creasey of the Office of Petitions of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office and the undersigned attorney, Ms. Creasey indicated that this application has not yet been assigned an issue date. Accordingly, sufficient time remains for consideration and grant of this Petition. Ms. Creasey asked that this Petition be sent via facsimile to her attention. A timely Notice regarding granting of this Petition is respectfully requested.

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Should there be any questions regarding this petition or application, the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is invited to contact the undersigned attorney at the telephone number shown below.

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